

## West Highland Area Management Plan Catchment Summaries

There is a catchment summary for each catchment in the West Highland advisory group area. These give information on the current situation (classification and measures) and actions for improvement (measures and objectives). A guide to these catchment summaries and a glossary of terms is available. Further information on the water bodies within each catchment can be found on the river basin management planning interactive map – [www.sepa.org.uk/water/river\\_basin\\_planning.aspx](http://www.sepa.org.uk/water/river_basin_planning.aspx)

The West Highland catchment summaries have been split into 5 documents:

- Western Isles
- West Highland mainland
- Coastal water bodies
- Ground waters

This document includes catchment summaries for the **Ground waters**.

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Catchment	Current situation	Actions for improvement
<p><b>Groundwaters</b></p>	<p>There are 21 ground waters in West Highland, all of which are at good status for both quality (chemical tests) and quantity (amount of water); Laxford Valley Sand and Gravel, Assynt bedrock and localised sand and gravel aquifers, Rum, South Uist bedrock and localised sand and gravel aquifers, Rubha Aird a'Mhuile Coastal Sand and Gravel, Rubha Aird na Machrach Coastal Sand and Gravel, Lewis and Harris, Great Bernera, Scalpay, Morar and Torridon, Berneray, North Uist, Isle of Skye, Baleshare, Grimsay, Benbecula, Island of Raasay, Eriskay, Barra, Vatersay and Eigg.</p> <p>All ground waters In West Highland are Drinking Water Protected Areas.</p>	